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For: MANAGING CONGESTION AND TRAFFIC FLOW BY CONSIDERING
THE MINIMIZATION OF LINK UTILIZATION VALUES

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Sir:

Lucent Technologies Inc., (hereinafter "the Assignee")

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represents that it is the true owner of the entire interest of U.S. Patent Application No.
10/825,203, filed on April 16, 2004, for "MANAGING CONGESTION AND TRAFFIC FLOW
BY CONSIDERING THE MINIMIZATION OF LINK UTILIZATION VALUES," (hereinafter
"above-identified application") which is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application No.
09/520,247, filed on March 7, 2000 that claims priority from U.S. Provisional Application No.

60/125,603 ('603 application) filed on March 19, 1999 entitled "INTERNET TRAFFIC ENGINEERING: THEORY AND ALGORITHMS" by virtue of and as evidenced by an Assignment recorded at the United States Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 010660, Frame(s) 0290 filed in the '603 application.

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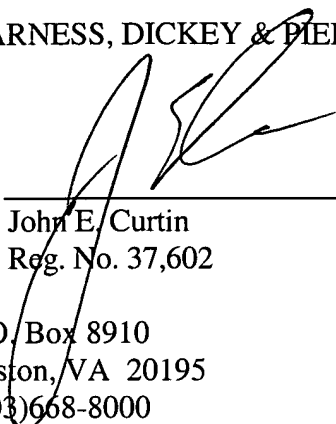
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